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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Power Ministry has recommended Rs.448.65 crore under APDRP incentive scheme to Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, whether only Rs.265.10 crore has been released to the State upto March 4, 2004 under the scheme;

(c) whether Andhra Pradesh has requested to release the balance amount; and

(d) if so, the decision taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

(a) to (d) : The quantum of incentive to a State is determined on the basis of actual cash loss reduction achieved by the State concerned, over the base year 2000-01. An incentive of Rs. 265.10 crores has been released to the State of Andhra Pradesh for the actual cash loss reduction achieved by them during the year 2001-02, in accordance with the guidelines for grant of incentive under Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme.